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1 AMENDMENT TO HOUSE BILL 3596

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend House Bill 3596 by replacing  
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Illinois Controlled Substances Act is  
5 amended by adding Section 311.6 as follows:

6 (720 ILCS 570/311.6 new)

7 Sec. 311.6. Opioid prescriptions.

8 (a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a  
9 prescription for a substance classified in Schedule II, III,  
10 IV, or V must be sent electronically, in accordance with  
11 Section 316. Prescriptions sent in accordance with this  
12 subsection (a) must be accepted by the dispenser in electronic  
13 format.

14 (b) Notwithstanding any other provision of this Section or  
15 any other provision of law, a prescriber shall not be required  
16 to issue prescriptions electronically if he or she certifies

1 to the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation  
2 that he or she will not issue more than 25 prescriptions during  
3 a 12-month period. Prescriptions in both oral and written form  
4 for controlled substances shall be included in determining  
5 whether the prescriber will reach the limit of 25  
6 prescriptions.

7 (c) The Department of Financial and Professional  
8 Regulation shall adopt rules for the administration of this  
9 Section. These rules shall provide for the implementation of  
10 any such exemption to the requirements under this Section that  
11 the Department of Financial and Professional Regulation may  
12 deem appropriate, including the exemption provided for in  
13 subsection (b).

14 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect on  
15 January 1, 2023."